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Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure, the information listed in the attached form PTO-1449 is brought to the attention of the Examiner. Copies of the information identified herein are provided. Also enclosed is a copy of the International Search Report for international application No. PCT/JP99/07248.

It is respectfully requested that the information cited in annexed Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner in connection with the above-identified patent application, and that such art be made of record in said application.

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A check in the amount of \$180.00 is enclosed. The Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement and to credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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